

# Baltimore-Washington Chapter Report for HPS Society Year 2010-2011

## General Information

**Official Year:** June - May

**Mailing Address:**

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**Dues Information:**

Plenary: \$25.00  
Associate: n/a  
Student: \$10.00  
Emeritus: n/a  
Life: n/a  
Affiliate: \$250.00

**Charter Date:** 18 November 1958

**Science Teacher Workshop?** yes

Held: Periodically

Last workshop: March 26 and 31, 2007

Average number of teachers attending: 21

**Collaboration with other societies?** no

**Website:** <http://hpschapters.org/bwc/>

## Chapter Leadership & Officers

**President:** John Crapo

**President-elect:** Sean Austin

**Secretary:** Robert Phillips

**Treasurer:** Carl Paperiello

**Past President:** vacant (non-HPS)

**Affiliates Director:** Thomas Johnston

**Membership Director:** Matthew Spierenburg (non-HPS)

**Webmaster:** Thomas Johnston

**Newsletter Editor:** Kathy McLellan (non-HPS)

**Science Teacher Coordinator:** Ray Johnson  
**Science Teacher Coordinator:** Bill Holcomb (non-HPS)  
**Education Chair:** EDWARD A TUPIN (non-HPS)

**Director Liaison:** Scott Schwahn

## **Chapter Incorporation & Exempt Status**

**Applied for Incorporation?** yes

Incorporation granted: yes

Incorporation state: Maryland

**Applied for an Employer Identification Number?** yes

Applied to IRS for Tax Exemption? yes

IRS tax exemption granted? yes

Type of IRS tax exemption: 501-C-3

Tax Exemption application done by: professional assistance

Professional assistance contract cost: (not indicated)

**Insurance?** no

**Willing to share IRS paperwork?** yes

## **Chapter Membership & Certifications**

**HPS Members:** 149

**non-Members:** 16

**Total:** 165

**ABHP Certified:** 69

**NRRPT Certified:** 13

## **Meetings/Activities:**

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**(Aug-10 to Jul-11)**

**Aug '10 Meeting Topic:** Organizational Meeting 7-25-10

Type: Executive Council

Attendance: 10

**Sep '10 Meeting Topic:** Perspectives since coming to NRC

Type: Social, Technical, Joint

Speaker: Commissioner William D. Magwood IV  
Attendance: 45

**Oct '10 Meeting Topic:** Pit Disassembly and Conversion Project:  
Radiological Design Considerations  
Type: Social, Technical  
Speaker: Kathy Pryor  
Attendance: 30

**Nov '10 Meeting Topic:** EXCOM Mtg  
Type: Executive Council  
Attendance: 12

**Dec '10 Meeting Topic:** Recent Research Results from the Russian  
Studies Program - 1-6-11  
Type: Social, Technical  
Speaker: Barrett N. Fountos  
Attendance: 29

**Jan '11 Meeting Topic:** Recent Research to Improve Response  
Planning for the Aftermath of a Nuclear Detonation  
Type: Social, Technical  
Speaker: Brooke Buddemeier, CHP  
Attendance: 39

**Feb '11 Meeting Topic:** THE ROLE OF SCIENCE IN SHAPING NUCLEAR  
POLICY ISSUES  
Type: Social, Technical, Joint  
Speaker: William C. Ostendorff, Commissioner, NRC  
Attendance:

**Mar '11 Meeting Topic:** March 16 - EXCOM Mtg  
Type: Social, Technical, Executive Council  
Attendance: 10

**Apr '11 Meeting Topic:** April 20 - EXCOM Mtg  
Type: Executive Council  
Attendance: 6

**May '11 Meeting Topic:** Discussion of the Fukushima Incident  
Type: Annual, Technical  
Speaker: Several  
Attendance: 64

**Jul '11 Meeting Topic:** Organizational Mtg - 7-14-2011  
Type: Executive Council

Attendance:

## **Comments**

Note: Meeting listed in December slot took place in January  
Additional meetings: Jan 19, 2011 - Excom Feb 22, 2011 - Excom

This Chapter report was created on 30 July 2011 by Robert Phillips.